BILL NO. S-96-11- 30

SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. S-

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 40 OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE CODE OF ORDINANCES CONCERNING COLLECTIVE BARGAINING FOR NON-SAFETY EMPLOYEES.

WHEREAS, a need exists to amend the City of Fort Wayne Code of Ordinances concerning collective bargaining for non-public safety employees.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:

**SECTION 1**. That Chapter 40 of the City of Fort Wayne Code of Ordinances be amended as follows:

## A. Amend Section 40.02(A) as follows:

Insert "Full-time" before "city employees" in the first sentence of said section.

B. Add a new SECTION 40.02©: If a new position is created in either the Civil City or City Utilities, the Common Council shall determine, upon request of the Mayor or the bargaining unit, if any, to which the new position shall be assigned. A change in job title without a substantial change in the duties and responsibilities of a position shall not be considered the creation of a new position.

## C. AMEND: SECTION 40.03 to read as follows:

The City currently recognizes the following labor organizations as bargaining agents for non-safety employees of the Civil City and City Utilities:

1. National Conference of Firemen and Oilers (NCFO);

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- International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers, Lodge #2569 (IAM);
- 3. International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW);
- Office and Professional Employees International Union, Local #325 (OPEIU);
- 5. International Union of Operating Engineers (IUOE);
- 6. Chauffeurs, Teamsters and Helpers, Local Union #414 (CTH).

  The continued recognition of said labor organizations as bargaining agents for employees of the Civil City and City Utilities is subject to the provisions of this Chapter.
- D. <u>Amend SECTION 40.04 to read as follows</u>: Non-Safety labor agreements reached prior to the effective date of any amendments of this Chapter shall not be effected by any such amendments. Non-Safety labor agreements reached subsequent to the effective date of any amendments of this Chapter shall be subject to any such amendments.
- E. Amend SECTION 40.07 to read as follows: No employee shall be required to join a labor organization or pay a representation fee to a labor organization to maintain his job with the Civil City or City Utilities. If a collective bargaining agreement provides for dues or representation fees checkoff, an employee's dues or representation fee may be checked off only upon the employee's written request and the employee may terminate such checkoff at any time by giving thirty (30) days' written notice.
- F. Amend SECTION 40.08(A) to read as follows: SCOPE OF

  NEGOTIATIONS. The City, as well as City Utilities, shall meet at
  reasonable times, including meeting in advance of the City's and City
  Utilities' budget-making process, to negotiate in good faith with

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respect to wages, hours, vacations, insurance, holidays, leaves of absences, shift differentials, overtime compensation, supplemental pay and other matters mutually agreed upon. However, the following subjects shall be excluded from the scope of negotiations: management's authority to discipline or discharge for cause provided a pre-deprivation hearing is offered if the proposed disciplinary action involves a loss of more than forty (40) hours pay: management's authority to promote or fill job vacancies; management's authority to contract out work or to perform bargaining unit work; and all retirement plans operated by PERF, other than whether the employer shall make the payment of the employee's share of the annual pension contribution. Negotiations shall also include terms authorizing dues or representation fees automatic deductions and grievance procedures for resolving any questions arising under the agreement, which shall be embodied in a written agreement and signed by the parties. Employee disciplines or discharges shall not be the subject of any formal grievances and arbitration process; however, an employee shall have the right to be represented by his bargaining agent at any pre-deprivation hearing. The obligation to negotiate in good faith does not compel either party to agree to a proposal or make a concession.

G. Amend SECTION 40.08(B) to read as follows: The negotiation of a proposed collective bargaining agreement shall be complete no later than the date the Civil City or City Utilities budget is submitted to the Common Council for the year or years for which the agreement is to be effective. Therefore, negotiations shall commence at least 180 days prior to said budget submission date. Within the first thirty (30) days of said bargaining period, the parties shall conduct at least three mandatory collective bargaining sessions totalling not less than six (6) hours. By the end of said thirty (30) day period, the parties shall have

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exchanged written proposals on all mandatory subjects of negotiation. If no agreement can be reached after said thirty (30) day period, the parties shall jointly request the services of a mediator through the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service. If no agreement has been reached by sixty (60) days prior to the budget submission date. the parties shall submit, in writing, their final position on the mandatory subjects of negotiation to the Common Council. If no agreement is reached by the budget submission date, impasse shall be declared. Upon declaration of impasse, the Civil City or City Utilities shall have no duty to withhold automatically dues or representation fees deductions upon the expiration of any effected collective bargaining agreement and shall have no duty to arbitrate grievances that arise after the expiration of the collective bargaining agreement. Upon declaration of impasse, the Civil City or City Utilities shall propose in the budget as a wage increase for effected bargaining unit members, the greater of the wage increase contained in management's final offer or the average wage increase for nonunion employees in the same department. In addition, such employees shall have all the rights to holidays, vacation, sick leave and other benefits set forth in the City's Personnel and Procedure Manual.

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#### H. Repeal SECTION 40.09.

SECTION 2. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and any and all necessary approval by the Mayor.

Council Member

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J. Timothy McCaulay

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